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BULGARIA TO RAISE FUR-BEARING ANIMALS

Profiting from the experiments in the USSR, Bulgaria has introduced the raising of fur-bearing animals. For the time being, on the farms around Govedartsi, Samokov Okoliya, silver and platinum foxes and minks are being raised and at the "Sherba" Hunting Station, Provadiya Okoliya, and in Sofia Okoliya nutrias

The raising of nutrias bring good results, especially at the farm workers' cooperatives and state farms in the vegetable-growing rayons. The farm workers' cooperative at Kamenets, Pleven Okoliya, was the first to set up a farm to raise nutries. The climatic conditions in the country are also favorable for raising mink.

The animals that have been imported are in good health for the time being, but there is a lack of trained personnel to care for them. At present, at the "Sherba" Hunting Station, 30 game wardens per year are being trained. At the same time, farm workers' cooperatives are also training their own personnel by sending members to study the raising of nutries at nutria farms.

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